

**COMPUTER PERIPHERAL WITH INTEGRATED  
PRINTER AND BAR CODE READER**

**Abstract of the disclosure**

A computer peripheral with integrated printer and bar code reader which saves space on countertops. The computer peripheral includes a printer, including a housing, a bar code reader in the housing, and control circuitry in the housing for facilitating communication of data between the printer and a computer and between the bar code reader and the computer over a single cable.